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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

SCHMIDT et al.

Application No.: 08/836,369

Filed: May 13, 1997

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PETITION TO EXTEND TIME

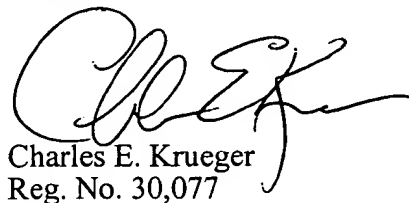
Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicants petition the Assistant Commissioner of Patents to extend the time for response to the DECISION ON REQUEST FOR RETROACTIVE LICENSE UNDER 37 CFR 5.25 dated March 9, 1999 for two months, from May 9, 1999 to July 9, 1999. An appropriate response is enclosed herewith.

Please charge the fee of \$380, any additional fees or credit overpayment to the undersigned's Deposit Account No. 20-1430. This petition is submitted in triplicate.

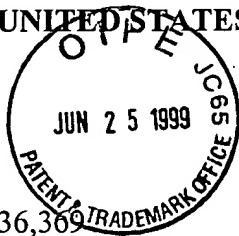
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